

**SANTA ROSA VALLEY MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL MINUTES**  
**September 21, 2017**

**The Santa Rosa Valley MAC held a Meeting on Thursday, September 21, 2017  
at 6:00 p.m. at the Rancho Santa Rosa Property Owners' Association Club House,  
11701 East Las Posas Road, Camarillo, CA 93012**

**1. Call to Order**

**Chair Rosemary Allison** called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. **Mark Burley, Kevin Cannon, Ruth Means, and Philip Ochoa** were present.

**2. Pledge of Allegiance**

**Ken Beeunas** led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**3. Philip Ochoa** was sworn in as a member of the Santa Rosa Valley MAC.

**4. Agenda Review**

No changes were made. **Kevin Cannon** moved to approve the agenda. It was seconded by **Ruth Means** and passed 4-0.

**5. Public Safety Reports**

**Damon Wing from Supervisor Parks' office** reported that CHP Officer Musgrove couldn't attend this meeting and had nothing to report.

**6. Approval of Minutes from May 11, 2017**

**Ruth Means** asked for the words "and residential driveways" to be added to the second sentence in Item 9.c., so it would read, "While the Kimley-Horn Santa Rosa Signal Evaluation Study analyzed the optimization of flow through the 3.5-mile corridor along Santa Rosa Road between Yucca Drive and Moorpark Road, the MAC's concern is that it did little to address traffic calming and safer ingress and egress from side streets and residential driveways." **Kevin Cannon** asked that the words, "set to flash at 25 mph" be inserted into the second sentence of Item 7, so it would read, "**Kevin Cannon** asked about adding speed feedback signs set to flash at 25 mph around the school zone." **Kevin Cannon** also corrected the fourth sentence in Item 6, changing "in" to "is". **Ruth Means** moved to approve the May 11th minutes as amended. **Mark Burley** seconded the motion.

**7. Comments of Ventura County Supervisor Linda Parks**

**Damon Wing** reported on the results of the SRV Community Beautification Event held on May 14<sup>th</sup>. **Damon** also responded to an earlier question about the amount of glyphosate used in the Santa Rosa Valley by the Watershed Protection District (WPD). Members of the MAC asked what non-carcinogenic products could be substituted and what WPD was doing to discontinue the use of glyphosate.

**8. Council Comments on Issues Not on the Agenda**

**Ruth Means** said that there are wood chips piled up and blocking a trailhead in Wildwood Park. **Ruth** also asked that the timing of the buttons at intersections of Santa Rosa Road be checked because sometimes they take a long time to change the traffic signals.

**9. Public Comments on Items Not on the Agenda**

**Andy Castillo** said that he would like to see the shrinking middle class come back, and that he would like to see more jobs created. **Merrill Berge** said that the General Plan Update is an

opportunity for all of the residents in the County to weigh in on our vision and what is important to us, and that is important to safeguard our water and air. **Paul Stanton** recommends that the oil derrick be removed from the Ventura County Seal because oil has passed its time and has been a source of pollution, and he also would like to see a study of a public bank for Ventura County to keep money in the county where the money is earned.

## **10. Advisory Items**

**a. Janis Gardner** was recognized for her 14 years of service on the MAC. **Supervisor Parks** read a resolution of appreciation from the Board of Supervisors.

### **b. General Plan Update**

The Ventura County Planning Division gave a presentation on General Plan Update and worked with the MAC on wording of the Vision and Guiding Principles.

### **c. Santa Rosa Road Traffic Calming**

**Ruth Means** and **Kevin Cannon** will meet with the County Transportation Department in advance of the next MAC meeting when the Transportation Department will be on the agenda to discuss Santa Rosa Road traffic. They will discuss traffic calming priorities and report back at the next MAC meeting.

### **d. Santa Rosa Road Cleanup**

**Lynne Brady** and **April Aubrey** said that there is a lot of trash, dead weeds, and dead palm trees along Santa Rosa Road and are looking at ways to make sure trash and vegetation are maintained. They would like assistance from the County. Additionally they said that there is a lot of debris sitting out in people's yards, and they would like to see that there is compliance with County codes for storage of materials. **Rosemary Allison** raised the possibility of using a benefit assessment district where the community would share the costs to sweep the roads and pick up trash. **Ruth Means** would like to know what the County can do and what a community group can do without a benefit assessment district. **Kevin Cannon** noted that there are members of the community that would coordinate an annual cleanup day to coincide with the Community Beautification Event, and he asked if a crew from the Probation Department could help pick up trash. **Damon Wing** said that he would check to see what the County could do to assist.

## **11. Updates**

### **Graffiti Removal Intervention Team (GRIT)**

**Mark Burley** said that the GRIT was organizing a graffiti cleanup.

## **12. Future Agenda Items**

- a. Santa Rosa Road traffic calming
- b. Proposed residential development along Voltaire Way (SD 4410)
- c. Code Compliance
- d. Santa Rosa Road cleanup

## **13. Adjournment to Thursday, November 16, 2017**